IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

: MAGISTRATE NO. 14-mj-536

CHRISTINE YODER

<u>OR DER</u>

AND NOW, this

day of September, 2014, the Court, being advised

that the parties are engaged in discussions to resolve this matter, and that the parties have jointly moved for an extension of time, finds, based on those reasons, that the ends of justice to be served by granting a continuance in this matter outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, and, therefore, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, § 3161(h)(7)(A), it is hereby

ORDERED

that the time in which an indictment or information must be filed in the above action is continued to and including October 31, 2014.

BY THE COURT:

HONORABLE LINDAK/CARACAPPA

United States Magistrate Judge

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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CHRISTINE YODER :

JOINT MOTION FOR SECOND EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO FILE AN INDICTMENT OR INFORMATION

The United States of America, by its attorneys, Zane David Memeger, United States

Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, and Louis D. Lappen, First Assistant United

States Attorney for that district, and the defendant, by her attorney, Elizabeth Toplin, respectfully request an extension of time in this matter. In support of this motion, the parties state the following:

1. On May 23, 2014, the government filed a Complaint and affidavit charging defendant Christine Yoder with production of child pornography, distribution of child pornography, and attempted enticement, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 2251, 2252A, and 2422. Later that day, agents arrested the defendant. On May 27, 2014, the defendant made her initial appearance before the Honorable Carol Sandra Moore Wells. On May 30, 2014, following a hearing, the Court found probable cause for the charges and detained the defendant pending trial. On June 18, 2014, the Honorable Jacob P. Hart granted a joint motion to continue the time within which to file an indictment or information beyond the last date that would otherwise be required under the Speedy Trial Act, to and including July 23, 2014. On July 23, 2014, the Honorable Lynne A. Sitarksi granted a joint motion to continue the time within which to file an indictment or information beyond the last date that would otherwise be required under the Speedy Trial Act, to

and including September 12, 2014.

- 2. The parties are discussing a possible resolution of this matter that would result in less litigation and more efficient use of the Court's resources. In particular, the government recently has obtained certain materials that it has been able to share with the defendant for purposes of these discussions. The parties are seeking an extension of time to continue these discussions to and including October 31, 2014.
- 3. Counsel for the defendant, Elizabeth Toplin, has advised the government that on behalf of the defendant, she joins in this motion and authorizes the government to file this joint motion under the signature of government counsel.

WHEREFORE, the government and the defendant respectfully submit that the ends of justice will best be served by an extension of time within which to file an indictment or information beyond the last date that would otherwise be required under the Speedy Trial Act, to and including October 31, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

ZANE DAVID MEMEGER United States Attorney

Officer States Attorney

LOUIS D. LAPPEN

First Assistant United States Attorney

Dated: September 11, 2014

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on this date the above joint motion for second extension of time was filed electronically on the Electronic Case Filing system, is available for viewing and downloading from the ECF system, and/or was served electronically on the following:

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Date: September 11, 2014